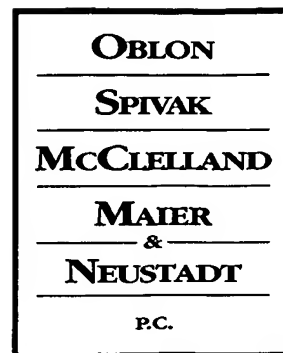




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Group Art Unit: 1765

Examiner: AHMED, Shamim

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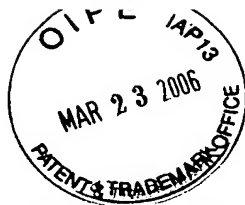
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In response to the restriction requirement dated February 22, 2006, Applicant elects without traverse Group I, Claims 1-3, drawn to a process, classified in class 216, subclass 23, for further examination on the merits. Applicant reserves the right to file one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected invention.

Accordingly, examination on the merits of Claims 1-3 is believed to be in order and an early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

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